Microwave

school set

A Microwave Cooking School will be held in the Home Economics Department at the Appomattox County High School beginning Thursday, October 1.

The class is scheduled to begin at 7 p.m. and end at 9 p.m. for four weeks on Thursday nights. A fee of $7.50 will be charged to each person participating in the school. Registration for the class may be made by calling the Appomattox County School Board Office (352-8253) between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. It is most important that persons desiring to take this class pre-register with the coordinator of Adult Education, Mr. R. B. Carter.

The class, which is divided into four lessons, will operate as follows:

Class One - Microwave Basics and Introductory Cooking - Demonstrations of food preparation for breakfast, lunch, dinner and snacks.

Class Two - Microwave Techniques and Intermediate Cooking - Specific demonstrations in preparation of beef, pork, vegetable basics, cakes and quick breads.

Class Three - Adapting Conventional Recipes and Advanced Cooking Techniques - Demonstrations and preparation of poultry, yeast breads, pastries and beverages.

Class Four - How to Make the Most of Your Microwave Oven - Demonstrations on cooking casseroles, pastas, cereals, fish and other seafoods, and cookies.

The instructor for the class will be Mrs. Joan C. Elledge, staff member of the Albemarle County Extension Service. Mrs. Elledge has been a consultant to Litton over five years and holds a BS and MS degree in Home Economics.

School

photos set

School photos will be taken at Appomattox Elementary School this Thursday, Sept. 24, according to AES Principal, C. T. Bowmann.

Photographers from Max Ward Delmar studios ask that parents wishing to purchase school photos dress their child in his or her favorite outfit, avoiding solid white and bearing in mind that bright colors photograph best.

The package this year will include one 8x10, two 5x7's, four gift size and 16 billfold size photos for $12.

Parents are asked not to send any money to school until they have received pictures.

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ERIC AND KATIE POWELL are looking at the new natural history museum at the Appomattox Primary School. Eric and Katie helped their mother, Mrs. Debbie Powell, organize and label items donated for the museum. The PTA started getting items for the museum two years ago. The shelves were donated by Armstrong Furniture Company.

In the museum you will find such familiar, but fascinating items as arrowheads, butterflies, rocks and minerals, shells, "bugs" and bird nests. You will also encounter less - common specimens: sea turtles, beavers, plants, shark teeth and dinosaur bones. If you have any of the items listed above or know of someone in the community who would be willing to donate them, please take them to the Appomattox Primary School or contact the school office at 352-5766.

School Menus

Appomattox Primary School Menu

Wed., Sept. 23 - Spaghetti, tossed salad, roll and butter, fruit, milk.

Thurs., Sept. 24 - Hamburger on bun, lima beans, fruit, milk.

Fri., Sept. 25 - Fish, mixed greens, french fries, corn bread and butter, milk.

Mon., Sept. 28 - Sausage patte., string beans, apple sauce, roll and butter, milk.

Tues., Sept. 29 - Beefaroni, slaw, roll & butter, fruit, milk.

Wed., Sept. 30 - Taco burger, tossed salad, buttered corn, milk.

Thurs., Oct. 1 - Hamburger on bun, french fries, green peas, milk.

Fri., Oct. 2 - Vegetable soup & crackers, cheese sandwich, apple sauce, milk.

AES Menu

Wed., Sept. 23 - Cheese pizza w/beef, tossed salad w/dressing, buttered corn, pineapple, milk.

Thurs., Sept. 24 - Sliced ham w/roll, peas & carrots, macaroni salad, applesauce, milk.

Fri., Sept. 25 - Oven Fried Chicken, hot rolls, green beans, creamed potatoes, fruit cocktail, milk.

Mon., Sept. 28 - Beef-Ravioli casserole, mixed greens, hot rolls, purple plums, milk.

Tues., Sept. 29 - Corn dogs w/mustard, macaroni and cheese, Mixed vegetables, orange juice, milk.

Appomattox Middle School Menu

Mon., Sept. 21 - Chicken salad, apple sauce, mixed vegetables, roll milk.

Tues., Sept. 22 - Breaded chicken, whipped potatoes and gravy, green beans, roll, milk.

Wed., Sept. 23 - Spaghetti with meat sauce, cheese wedge, green peas, fruit, roll, milk.

Thurs., Sept. 24 - School made pizza, buttered corn, tossed salad, cake square, milk.

Fri., Sept. 25 - Breaded chuckwagon pattie, Boston baked beans, cole slaw, cheese wedge, roll, milk.

Students teach

Longwood College seniors, in the final phase of their teacher training, are engaging in ten weeks of classroom teaching in 39 public schools throughout Virginia.

Student teaching from this area are Tawana Lee of Pamplin, who is teaching home economics in Appomattox County, and Connie Murray of Pamplin, who is teaching health and physical education in Lynchburg.

Promise Land

The installation services for Rev. Albert E. Davis was very inspiring. Rev. James Franklin delivered the evening message, and the chancel choir rendered beautiful music under the direction of Miss Sybil Franklin. Many members, visitors, and friends were present.

Promise Land Baptist Church Baptism Service will be held September 27, 1981 at 10:00 a.m. There will be candidates from Promise Land and other churches in the community. We are asking everyone to come out and share this day of joy with us.

Church meeting for the Promise Land Baptist Church will be held September 26, 1981 at 5:00 p.m.

Letter to the Editor

Writer says to make choices carefully

Dear Editor:

The time is fast approaching when Virginians will be asked to make some choices. I hope all Virginians will exercise their privilege in casting their vote and helping to decide Virginia's future.

The decision is made all the harder because both gubernatorial candidates are claiming a conservative philosophy. A philosophy that is obviously popular. One thing that may get lost in the decision-making process is that even though many say they are "voting for the man" remember, the man is the reflection of his party – democrat and republican.

How truly conservative can a man be in office if he's the spokesman for a party that had to pacify its liberal faction by "creating" a position within the state party for one of its most liberal democrats, Ira Lechner. How conservative can a man be that has already criticized conservative policies of the President that honestly believes less government is better, when the policies have not even been put into effect as yet. How truly conservative can an elected official be once in office, particularly in the area of gubernatorial appointment s, when he will "owe" favors to a liberal faction within his party; appointments which will affect us in every way of life.

I love and appreciate what Virginia has been and has done, particularly during the decade of a conservative republican administration. It helps to look past the man somewhat, because when you vote him in you vote the party in. I hope to help keep Virginia a conservative state and a leader in conservative policies with a sound fiscal administration. I'll vote republican and for the Coleman-Miller-Durrette ticket.

Sincerely,
Terrie Conrad

Group greets Lynda Robb here

Approximately 350 people were on hand Sunday afternoon from two until five o'clock at the Appomattox County High School cafeteria to meet and greet Lynda Johnson Robb.

Mrs. Robb, here to campaign for her husband, Chuck Robb in his bid for governor of the State of Virginia greeted members of the group with warmth and had this to say, "I am, indeed, glad to be back in Appomattox. I attended church with my family this morning and went directly from church to the airport."

Lynda, Chairman of the Easter Seal Campaign and actively involved in the Reading Is FUNdamental Program is by her own admission, a professional volunteer. She also is very much involved in the activities of her children.

"Today," said Mrs. Robb, "I am here to ask you to help Chuck. You people are going to make the difference. I am not asking you to help all of your life but for the next six weeks. I believe we have an obligation to live up to the very best God gave us and to help others to do the same. I know this prejudiced, but I believe Chuck is the best for Governor of Virginia. He is interested in all people and their problems."

Pamplin 4-H Club meets

The Pamplin 4th grade 4-H Club, held their first meeting of the year on September 4. The following officers were elected: president - Sherry Hackney; vice president - Chris Walker; secretary - Steve Mason; treasurer - Kristen McDonald; reporter - Jennifer Roach; recreation leader - Patricia Richardson.

Mrs. Sweet talked to the group about the work for the coming year, "Share The Fun", and The County Fair.

The next meeting will be held in October.

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The kitchen is a corridor arrangement and fully exposes the excess cabinet and countertop work surface and includes built-in appliances.

Extra coat and linen closets are provided and there are two full baths, one private to the master bedroom. A shower is shown for the master bedroom bath. Remaining bath with tub, services guests and two additional bedrooms. Closets are plentiful.

A disappearing stair is provided to the attic storage. Furnace and utility area is central. This area is utilized for stair on basement plan and relocates the utilities and furnace in the basement.

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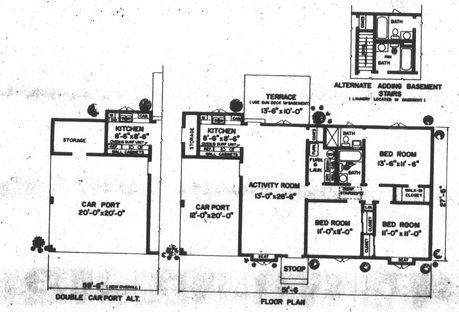

Mrs. Mark Lynn Ferguson

O'Brien, Ferguson wed

The marriage of Miss Clair Rachel O'Brien to Mark Lynn Ferguson took place on Saturday, September 19, at two o'clock in the afternoon at New Hope Baptist Church in Appomattox.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Clem H. O'Brien and the late Mr. O'Brien of Appomattox. The groom is the son of Mr. Grayson E. Ferguson Sr. and Mrs. Thomas L. Books both of Lynchburg.

The Reverend Robert Williams pastor of New Hope officiated the double ring ceremony.

A program of nuptial music was provided by Mrs. Faye Burks, organist. Mr. Dean Page, soloist and cousin of the bride sang, "The Lighthouse" and "The Wedding Song" accompanied by the guitar.

The bride was escorted and given in marriage by her brother, William C. O'Brien.

The bride wore a floor length gown of soft satin fashioned with a rounded neckline accented with scalloped lace. The fitted bodice was overlaid with lace, matching the sleeves. The bodice was accented with a wide satin ribbon which formed a wide bow accenting the back. The bodice then flowed to a full length skirt, which flowed into a wide ruffle. She carried the bride's Bible topped with yellow roses.

Mrs. Calvin E. O'Brien, sister-in-law of the bride was matron of honor. She wore a full length gown of apricot and carried an apricot rose with yellow ribbons.

Mrs. William C. O'Brien, sister-in-law of the bride of Appomattox and Mrs. Edward Lewis of Lynchburg were bridesmaids. They wore floor length gowns of yellow and carried a yellow rose with apricot ribbons.

Miss Suzanne O'Brien and Miss Lori O'Brien, nieces of the bride were flower girls.

Mr. Grayson E. Ferguson, Sr. was his son's best man. Ushers were Mr. Grayson E. Ferguson, Jr. and Mr. Carl Matthews. Mr. Matthew M. Ferguson was ring bearer.

Following the ceremony the bride's mother entertained with a reception in the church fellowship hall.

The bride is a graduate of Appomattox County High School and is employed with Meredith-Burda of Lynchburg.

The groom is a graduate of E. C. Glass High School and is also employed by Meredith-Burda.

Following a short wedding trip the couple will make their home in Lynchburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Lee Stewart, Jr.

Hutto, Stewart wed

The marriage of Miss Patricia Mae Hutto to Mr. Clifton Lee Stewart, Jr. was solomnized on Saturday, August 8, 1981 at 4 o'clock in the afternoon at Mechanicsville Baptist Church in Mechanicsville, Virginia.

The Reverend Don Stewart officiated at the double ring ceremony before an altar of an arrangement of fresh flowers and palms. Two candelabras with white candles flanked the altar.

Mrs. Faye Davis of Warrenton, Va., cousin of the bride was pianist; Mr. Ted Fogle, cousin of the bride from Florida was soloist and sang "O Perfect Love". Roger Hutto of Mechanicsville, Va., brother of the bride played the trumpet.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Juanita B. Hutto and the late Mr. Willard Hutto of Mechanicsville, Va. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Lee Stewart, Sr. of Richmond, Va.

The bride was escorted by her uncle, Mr. Bobby Hutto of Neeses, South Carolina and given in marriage by her uncle and her mother. The bride wore a floor-length gown of white silk with matching veil and a lace trimmed train. She carried a bouquet of white silk roses enhanced with pink tea roses.

Miss Shelia Y. Burner of Lexington, Va., cousin of the bride, was maid of honor. She wore a coral floor-length gown with a white lace bodice, and carried a bouquet of coral day lillies, white daises and baby's breath.

Tim Mihalcoe of Varina, Va. was best man.

Ashley Jeffcoat of Orangeburg, South Carolina, cousin of the bride and Dana Cobb of Highland Springs, Va. were flower girls. Fulmer Lee Burks, Jr. of Gladstone, Va., cousin of the groom was ring bearer.

Miss Carolyn Hutto of Neeses, South Carolina, cousin of the bride, Miss Rita Faye Stewart of Richmond, Va., sister of the groom and Mrs. Marcia Hinman of Chesterfield, Va. were bridesmaids.

Rodney Snead of Charlottesville, Va., cousin of the groom, Shea Hutto of Mechanicsville, Va., brother of the bride and Doug Burner of Lexington, Va. cousin of the bride were ushers.

The bride's mother wore a blue floor-length gown with a lace bodice and a matching lace jacket. She wore a corsage of red roses.

The mother of the groom wore a white floor-length gown accented with blue flowers. She wore a corsage of white roses.

Immediately following the ceremony a reception was held in the church social hall.

Karen Snead of Charlottesville, Va., cousin of the groom presided at the bridal register.

Martha Burner, aunt of the bride served the wedding cake. Elizabeth Barrett and Bea Young of Orangeburg, South Carolina served the punch.

After a wedding trip to Myrtle Beach, South Carolina, the couple will make their home in Varina, Va.

Mr. Clifton Lee Stewart, Jr. is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Fulmer J. Burks of Rt. 2, Gladstone, Va.

Garden Club to meet

The Appomattox Garden Club will meet on September 28 at 7 p.m. in the home of Mr. and Mrs. William C. Dudley in Pamplin.

Mr. Dudley will be speaker for the meeting and will present a program on the Cultivation of Roses.

Dudley and his wife, the former Margaret Ligon have been growing roses for 33 years. They have served on the Test Panel for Jackson and Perkins and are members of the American Rose Society.

The Dudleys call their place "Rosecroft", which is an English term for a small enclosed garden area. Roses have been grown in this same area for approximately 60 years. The late Mrs. Ligon (Mrs. Dudley's mother) was a member of the Appomattox Garden Club and a cultivator of roses. Approximately a dozen of her plants are still in production.

William C. Dudley

The Dudleys who have 76 rose bushes at present, spray every seven to 10 days.

"Roses are not difficult to grow," commented Dudley," if you can grow potatoes, you can grow roses. You just have to commit yourself to a regular program of spraying, watering and weeding. With patience and work anyone can grow beautiful roses."

Club members please note change in time from 7:30 to 7:00; this change is made in order that members may spend some time with Mr. and Mrs. Dudley in the rose garden before dark.

Social News

Tim Marshall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Marshall of Appomattox, has returned to VPI&SU, where he is a sophomore.

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Miss Joyce Abbitt of Fairfax was weekend guest of her father, Herbert Abbitt.

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Clifford Plunkett has returned to his home following surgery in the Lynchburg General-Marshall Lodge Hospital.

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Mrs. S. J. Evans has returned from a visit with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Newcomb of Toquoson and also from visiting with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Thomas of Newport News.

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Recent visitors in the home of Miss Mamie Cullop were Mr. and Mrs. James C. Ferguson, of Kansas City, Kansas and Mrs. Evelyn C. Ferguson of Richmond.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Newcomb spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Mary Newcomb of Lynchburg.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fraley spent the weekend visiting their children in Narrows and Blacksburg.

Mrs. Smith entertains

Mrs. James A. Smith entertained with a luncheon for Miss Mary Louise Parris Saturday, September 19 at her home. Miss Parris and Mr. Gary Goin will be married in October. Guests included: Louise Parris, Frances Goin, G.V. Nelson, Sue Ramsey, Susan Boyer and Misses Susan Parris and Claudine O'Brien.

Reunion planned

The family of the late Jim Nat Richardson will hold their annual family reunion on Sunday, Sept. 27, at Piney Ridge United Methodist Church in Pamplin.

All family and friends are invited to attend and bring a picnic lunch, which will be served at 1:00 p.m.

On behalf of Chuck and myself I desire to express our deep gratitude for the wonderful reception given me at Appomattox County High School on the afternoon of the twentieth by the ladies of Appomattox County. You all were most kind and considerate and we deeply appreciate it. Chuck pledges that if he is elected Governor of Virginia, he will do his level best to represent all the people and will appreciate your help and support.

Lynda J. Robb

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Chambers, Tucker wed

The marriage of Miss Sharon Lynn Chambers to Otis Ottway Tucker, III, took place Saturday, September 19 at 4 o'clock in Providence Baptist Church at Red House, Va., with Rev. Mark Reginald Warren, pastor of the church, officiating.

The bride, escorted by her father, and given in marriage by her parents, wore a gown fashioned of white chiffon and Schiffli embroidery. The empire bodice was covered with a capelet of the embroidery and was finished with a high Victorian neckline. The full floor length skirt of chiffon, ended in a chapel train. Her fingertip scalloped edge mantilla of silk illusion was edged with Venice lace.

A program of nuptial music was presented by Miss Wanda Morris, of Keysville, Va., cousin of the bride, on the piano. She accompanied Miss Michelle Mason, of Brookneal, Va., who sang "Annie's Song", "Endless Love" and a wedding prayer.

Mrs. Bruce L. Hall of Keysville, Va., was matron of honor for her sister, and attendants were Mrs. Brant Acree, of Roanoke, Va., sister of the groom; Betty Glenn Bowman of Rocky Mount, Va., and Mrs. William B. Langston, of Red House, Va., cousin of the bride.

The attendants all wore identical dresses of seacrest quiana. The blouson bodice was finished with a scoop neckline, full sleeves and a full floor length skirt. Their bouquets were nosegays of white daisies, pink roses and button pompons.

Mr. David Tucker of Richmond, Va., was best man for his brother, and ushers were Mr. Brant Acree of Roanoke, Va., brother-in-law of the groom, Mr. John W. Chambers, Jr., of Oxford, Mississippi, brother of the bride, and Mr. Bruce L. Hall of Keysville, Va., brother-in-law of the bride.

The ushers wore gray tuxedos with pink boutonnieres. The groom's boutonniere was a pink rose.

Miss Tiffany Hamlett of Drakes Branch, Va. was flower girl. Her gown was floor length white lace, and her basket was filled with pink rose petals.

Master Thomas Andrew Hall was ring bearer for his aunt. He wore a gray tuxedo to match the ushers.

Mrs. Willie B. Reynolds was mistress of ceremonies.

Mrs. Otis Ottway Tucker, III

[Photo by Allen Austin]

The mother of the bride wore a burgundy gown with a scoop neckline. Her corsage was pink roses. The mother of the groom wore a mauve gown with an orchid corsage.

The bride chose a white dress with a red border with a short red jacket for her going away outfit and black accessories.

After a southern wedding trip the couple will make their home in Drakes Branch, Va.

Mrs. Susan O. Maddux attended the guest book and hostesses at the reception were Mrs. Nan C. Andrews, cousin of the bride, Miss Pat Ellington, Miss Susan Shorter, and Miss Beth Fleshman.

Club meets for supper

On Monday evening, September 14, the Appomattox Woman's Club held its annual covered dish supper on the lawn of the home of Mrs. Helen Anderson.

Mrs. Roma Moore, Hospitality chairman for the club, was in charge of arrangements for the event.

Attending the supper were club members accompanied by their husbands or guests. Special guests were prospective new members who were introduced to the club at this time.

Honored guests at the meeting were members of the Appomattox County Welfare Board and members of the Appomattox Medical Profession.

The Appomattox Woman's Club salutes these fine citizens for their services to our community.

Baldwin reunion set

The annual Doc Baldwin reunion will be held on October 11 at the Pamplin Firehouse, beginning at 2 p.m. Bring a covered dish and beverage.

Everyone is invited to attend.

Club to host tour

The Appomattox Garden Club will host a tour of the Charles F. P. Crawley home on Sunday, October 4 from 3 p.m. until 7 p.m.

The house, originally composed of a small kitchen, laundry, and storage building, stood near the site of the present home and was enlarged to become the home of Joel Barnett Gilliam and his bride, the former Miss Chambers. The original building served as home for the Inges, Barnetts and Gilliams who farmed corn and tobacco on the land from 1845-1870.

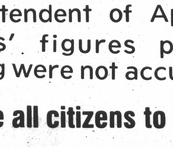
Joel Barnett Gilliam and his wife lived in the enlarged house until 1908 during which time they had two children, Harry Walton Gilliam (1883) and Mary Gilliam (1887).

In 1908 the home, then known as "Quail Hollow", was purchased by Robert C. Wagner, known for the fine fruit and vegetables he grew. In addition to the fruit trees, Wagoner added outstanding grape arbors and the farm concentrated on these endeavors rather than corn and tobacco. The Wagoners also made improvements to the house adding gas lights, a bath room, and a window seat in the present dining room.

The late Judge C. F. P. Crawley purchased the house in 1945 and added pine trees to the landscape. Mrs. Crawley continues to enjoy this home and to share it with others.

The Appomattox Club is pleased to share in the opening of this lovely Federal Style home and would like to call special attention to the original pine flooring, wide baseboards, three working fireplaces and the period furnishings.

The Garden Club invites you to take advantage of this opportunity to share in the history of Appomattox County. Tickets for the tour are available from the Garden Club members and also at the door for $1.00.



MRS. FLORENCE TRENT AND MRS. MADELINE THOMAS of the Blue Ridge Chapter of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution are shown beside a window display of patriotic memorabilia at Farmers National Bank on Main Street in Appomattox. The window display and the posters which the ladies are holding were prepared in observance of Constitution Week, Sept. 17-23. The poster Mrs. Thomas is holding features an illustration by Lina Trent of a revolutionary-period soldier.

Diet club plans meeting

The Slim and Trim Diet Club will meet on Thursday night, September 24 at 7 p.m. in the Concord Ruritan Club.

New classes are now starting.

TO THE CITIZENS OF APPOMATTOX COUNTY

On September 29 at 7:30 p.m. a hearing will be held at the Appomattox Court House to discuss the closing of Pamplin Elementary School.

At the last meeting held in Pamplin to discuss the closing of the school the citizens of Pamplin and surrounding area questioned the actual cost of maintaining and renovating the Pamplin Elementary School to bring the school up to minimum standards. We will present at the hearing facts and figures to show to the contrary that the superintendent of Appomattox County Schools' figures presented at the meeting were not accurate.

we urge all citizens to attend this meeting

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